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The Specification is amended at paragraph 0001 merely to remove the phrase “commonly owned” in order to ensure that there is no ambiguity as to the ownership of the applications referenced in paragraph 0001.

Reconsideration of the application on the basis of the Reply filed on May 29, 2007 is respectfully solicited.

If any matters remain requiring further consideration, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned so that such matters can be discussed, and if possible, promptly resolved.

Respectfully submitted,

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